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LATE AND IMPORTANT FROM THE NORTH

—GENERAL BURNSIDE CLASS RESIGNED.

Richmond, Dec. 22.

The Richmond Enquirer of to-day confirms the resignation of Seward and other Secret Cabinet Councillors. Washington correspondence says there has been a feeling abroad for some days that the end was approaching, although universal that there must be a change in the Cabinet and policy before the war can be prosecuted further. Secretary Chase has still remained at their desks awaiting appointments of successors.

Rumored Spanish arrived at New York with Liverpool dates to sixth inst., nothing new on American Affairs. Paris *Moniteur*, in a quasi official form alluded to presence of French squadron at New Orleans, which is represented to have greatly dazed the disaffected population. Cotton famine distress in France increasing in severity. London *Globe* thinks ultra-democratic American system working remarkably. Liverpool cotton market closed quiet. Uplands 22 to 22½. James Stanfield, Knowles is dead.

National Republic (Washington) dates 22nd.—Herald says Secretaries Chase have certainly resigned. Seward will not resign if Halleck and Stanton are retained, and Chase will not remain if Seward quits. Pursuant to arrangement as understood candidate for Governor of Ohio and McClellan as the Conservative *Herald* says, Sunday was generally dull in Washington indeed in Military, and thinks if Fremont is appointed on Staunton remained the newly elected Governors of six Great States will withdraw their

A dispatch from Washington Sunday at midnight says the President had unofficially said he is the party in default of the conduct of the armies and will not be influenced by the dispatches of Generals. Burnside was in Washington Sunday. Texas telegraphed from Bragg's Headquarters, 21st inst., that his army knew nothing of his

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